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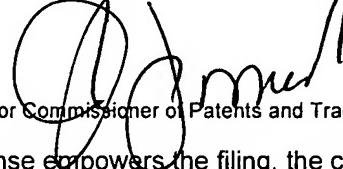
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In re: PASMANIK et al. : DECISION ON REQUEST  
Petition No.: 10/790,845 : UNDER 37 CFR 5.25  
Petition Filing Date: 20 April 2005  
Docket No.: BEW-009

Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR VIEWING MICRO-MARKINGS ON JEWELERY AND OTHER OBJECTS

This is a decision on the petition for retroactive foreign filing license.

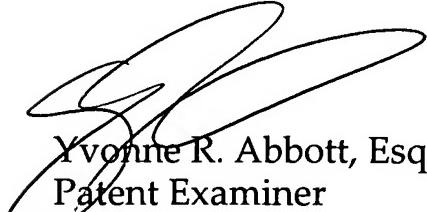
It has been determined that a retroactive license for foreign filing under 35 U.S.C. 184 be granted with respect to the filing(s) listed below. The petition complies with 37 C.F.R. 5.25 in that there is an adequate showing that the subject matter in question was not under secrecy order, that the license was diligently sought, and that the material was filed abroad without the required license under 37 C.F.R. 5.11 through error and without deceptive intent.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:  
Guerman Aronovich Pasmanik et al.

Application No.: 10/790845

Confirmation No.: 2495

Filed: March 3, 2004

Art Unit: 3677

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR VIEWING  
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PETITION FOR A RETROACTIVE FOREIGN FILING LICENSE

PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. §184 AND 37 C.F.R. §5.25

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a retroactive foreign filing license in the above-referenced U.S. patent application pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §184 and 37 C.F.R. §5.25.

The above-referenced U.S. patent application was filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on March 3, 2004 and granted a foreign filing license on May 25, 2004. A copy of the application is included herein for your convenience.

Before the foreign filing license was granted, the patent application material was also filed in Canada with the Canadian Patent Office on March 3, 2004, which is concurrent with the filing of the above-referenced U.S. patent application. No other applications were filed. The Canadian patent application was assigned serial number 2459496, and the subject matter is the same as that contained in the corresponding U.S. case.

In light of the declaration attached herewith from the Canadian agent for Applicants who filed the U.S. and Canadian patent applications concurrently on March 3, 2004, Applicants submit that the Canadian patent application was filed in Canada on March 3, 2004 through error and without deceptive intent.

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Applicants also submit that the subject matter disclosed in the Canadian patent application relates to a system and method for viewing micro-markings in jewelry and other objects, was not under a secrecy order at the time it was filed in Canada, and is not currently under a secrecy order. Applicants therefore petition for a retroactive foreign filing license under 35 U.S.C. §184.

Applicants enclose a fee of \$200 as required by 37 CFR §1.17(g) with this statement. However, if any additional fees are due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0080, under Order No. BEW-009 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

Dated: March 22, 2005

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